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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of:  
Van Vlasselaer, et al.

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DROPLET AEROSOL AND  
METHOD

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated December 29, 2005, and is submitted on or before the extended due date of **April 29, 2006**. A constructive petition for a one-month extension of time under 1.136(a)(3) and its requisite fee are enclosed herewith. The Examiner is requested to enter the amendments and reconsider the application.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, including fees under §1.17; to deposit account 08-3038, reference Attorney Docket No. 03102.0011.NPUS01.